LARGEST CITY CIRCULATION. THE DRIFTING BOAT.

It had floated away from the beach and bay.
Out of eight of tower and town.
An empty and sattered boat,
And that boat would not so down.
The morning rese on the waters wide,
And the night fell cold and dark.
Yet ever on with the wind and tide
Drifted that battered bark.

The sail had passed from its broken mast,
And its painted pride was disc;
The sait assessed clung round its hows.
Which had been so share and trim.
Where were the merry mates and tree.
Who had some with it affeat,
We never lear or; but the world's wide sea
Hath lives like that drifting boat—

Lives that in early storms have lest
Anchor and sail and oze.
And never, except on Lethe's shore,
Can come to maorings more;
Out of whos loveles, trustless days
The hope and the heart have goneGood ships go down in stormy seas,
But those empty boats drift on!

They had hearts to sail is the wind's eye once;
They had han is to reef and steer.
With a strength that would not stoop to chance,
And a faith that know no fear;
But the years were long and the storms were And the rainbow flag was forled, And they that launched for the skies have

But the drift-wood of the world. SHAD fishing has commenced on the

Savannah.

THE oldest book extant published in America is now in possession of General J. Phelps, of Brattleboro, Vermont. - It is a dictionary of the Aztec language, and was printed in the City of Mexico T. R. O'CONNER, a school teacher in

Richfield, Minn., was put off the cars, on Monday, for failing to pay the extra ten cents exacted for not procuring a ticket at the office, and was frozen to death.

THE Delaware Gazette states that there is a fine prospect for a handsome yield of fruit the coming season in Delaware, and the peach growers are gratified with the improved facilities for reaching a

BIRMISGRAM, in England, is estimated to have 20,000 children entirely unprovided with educational facilities; and it is proposed to erect and open fifty new schools, which, however, will only accommodate a small proportion of them.

HERRINGS are plenty in Scotland. The fishermen at Greenock are taking so many herrings that they are sold for three-pence the basket, and a basket holds one hundred and fifty or more. It was thought that they would soon sell for a penny a hundred.

Ds. Bellows doesn't like the circumlocution at the Berlin restaurants. He writes that in that city one man receives an order in the restaurants, another carries it, a third transfers it, a fourth executes it, a fifth receives the thing executed, and a sixth makes it over to the original orderer. It takes twenty minutes to get a chop which would be before you in five minutes in an American est-

THE Paris Figure ought to be well edited, at least, at the salaries it pays for that labor. It pays five editors \$4800 each, one \$4000, six others \$2400 each, two \$1680 each, and four more of \$1200 each. These salaries aggregate \$50,560 cal critic receives fifteen cents a line for his services, and if any of the staff furnish tales for the "feuilleton," they are paid extra, at the rate of five cents a line.

The Fall of Rents in Nashville.

The revolution which has followed upon the collapse of the exorbitant sysem of rents so long upheld in this city, tem of rents so long upneld in this city, is truly startling. Tenants now command business houses for which landlords dictated all sorts of terms four years ago, and some of the best business stands in Nashville are now empty and deserted, not so much as even commanding a solitary offer—no, not even a pal-try hundred dollars. In many instances rents on large residences used as boarding houses have fallen several hundred dollars. Houses with from three to six rooms hold their own better, but even as to them, rents are much more moderate than formerly.—Nashville Union.

An official investigation is to be had of the affairs of the New York city national banks. Charges have been made of violation of section 29 of the national currency act in loaning upon fancy stocks and other uncertain securities amounts largely in excess of the limit allowed by law to any one firm or person. How much foundation there may be for these complaints is not known, but the controller of the cur-rency has promptly taken the matter in hand, and directed the bank examiners to inquire into these alleged violations with a view to enforce the law if the facts revealed require such action. The defalcation of Leverith has excited some alarm among capitalists, and has probably led to the investigation.—Newark

Ex-Lieutenant Governor George Hull, of Sandisfield, Massachusetts, died at his residence there a few days ago, at the age of eighty years, lacking one day. Mr. Hull was a native of Farmington. Connecticut, but became a resident of Sandisfield early. For nearly half a century he was postmaster, and was held in high esteem by his townsmen. He was Lieutenant Governor from 1836 to

Is the German Pilgrim Lodge of Free Masons, in New York City, one evening last week, three dwarfs received the degree of Entered Apprentice. Their names are: Jean Petit, aged thirty-three, a Bohemian; Jean Picolo, aged thirty-two, an Austrian, and Kis Joscai, a Hungarian. They are on exhibition at the garian. They are on exhibition at the German Theater, in the Bowery.

Josiah Cook, of Buffalo, has entered a suit against "Blind Tom," the planist, and his agent and door-keeper at St. James' Hall, for the forcible ejection of one George Dover, a negro barber, and his wife, from one of Blind Tom's entertainments, after they had purchased tickets of admission.

Pierre Carme, the billiard player, is to try an extraordinary fancy shot in Bos-ton, caroming from a ball on the table to a ball on a bystander's head.

Madame De la Grange is the wife of a young Greek nobleman with plenty of money, and only sings because she likes

## TRUST SALES.

Trustee's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF CERTAIN DEEDS OF S. R. Hann, pariners, etc., recorded in the Probate Cierk's office of Panola county, Missispoi, in book P, pages 28, 45, 437 and 45, to secure T. T. Green & Co., of Monaphis, Tencessee, and Black, Estes & Co., of Memphis, Tennessee, in the payment of certain indekt-edness therein mentioned, I will, on the 15th DAY OF PERRUARY, 1868

between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m., sell at Sardis. Panola county, Mississippi, at the storehouse lately occupied by Davidson & Blann, to the highest bidder, for CASH, the following property, to-wit: The storehouse and lot of Davidson & Blann, described as commencing two bandred and twenty-five (223) (set south of the northeast corner of section theirty four, township seven, range seven, west—running south fifty feet along the filed swille and Belmont read, thence west to the line of the Mississippi and Tennessee railread company's line, thence north to a point opposite bestinning, thence east to beginning, in Panola GOODS, WARES, etc., of Davidson & Blann, Will convey only as trustee

R. W. CRUMP, Trustee.

January 9th, 1868.

Trustee's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST, EX-ecuted to me on the 26th day of June, 1966, by W. O. Lofland, and duly register d in the Register's office of Shelby county. Tennessee, in Record Book No. 56, part 1st, pages 639, 610 and 611, to which reference is hereby made-for the purpose of paying the debt therein se-cured—I will, on

Monday, 10th Day of February, 1868, In front of the Caurthouse, in the city of Memphis, proceed to sell to the highest bidder, roa casa, the following described property, to-wit: A certain lot of land, lying and being in the county of Shelby and State of Tennessee, being lot No. 370 as laid down on the planand map of Memphis. Beginning at the intersection of the south side of Exchangestreet with the west side of Third, running thence southward with the west side of Third strest one hundred and forty-eight and a half feet to the intersection of the west side of the alley, between Poolar and Exchange street; thence weatward with the north side of seld alley, and parallel with Exchange street; cighty-light and a half feet; thence northward and parallel with Third street, one hundred and forty-eight and a half feet to the south side of Exchange street; thence eastward with the south side of Exchange street; thence ea Monday, 10th Day of February, 1868

TRUSTEE'S SALE. BY VIRTUE OF THE POWER CON-briel Smither and Joseph E. Clarkson, dated the 6th day of April, 1857, I will, on

Monday, February 3d, 1868,

Between 10 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m., on the premises, in the city of Memphis, proceed to sell at public sale to the highest bidder, for cash, the following lots in said city, to wit: Beginning at a point in the cast line of Shelby street, in block No. 4, in the Butter division of South Memphis, two hundred and twenty-five feet southwardly from the southeast corner of the interacction of Butter and Shelby streets; thence running from said point southwardly with the cast line of Shelby afreet forly-five feet to corner of Shelby and Transite streats; thence castwardly with the north line of Transite street two hundred and twenty-two feet is inches; thence northwardly forty-five feet; thence westwardly with Milton's south line two hundred and twenty-two feet ax inches to the beginning on Shelby street.

The equity of redemption to said property waived in Trust Deed recorded in Register's office, Shelby county, book No. 29, pages 428, 488 and 449. Title believed to be good, but I sell and convey only as Trustee.

Trustee's Saile. Monday, February 3d, 1868,

Trustee's Sale.

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By VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST roade to me by John H. Peterson, and recorded in the Register's office of Shelby county, in book No. 57, part lat, pages 476, 477 and 478, I will sell to the highest bidder, for each, the following described lot or tract of land, lying in Shelby county. Tennessee, about three quarters of a mile from Court Square, to wit: Being part of County Lot No. 529, on the north side of the Raleigh road, commencing on the west side of an alloy about (8) eight feet wide, running themes west with said Raleigh road (83) eighty-three feet; thence north with the plank fence now on said lot about (500) five hundred feet, more or less, to the back of said fence; thence cast with said back fence (83) eighty-three feet; thence now on said lot; thence on a line with said east fence (500) five hundred feet, more or less, to the beginning. Equity of redemption to this property is waived, and title to the same beliaved to be perfect, but I convey as trustee only.

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administrator estate of J. W. Matthews, deceased, vs. James H. Matthews, et al.

IN THIS CAUSE IT APPEARING FROM
James H. Matthews, Jesoph W. Matthews, V.
L. Stricklin and wife Bettie J. Stricklin, Jas.
Hamer and wife Sarab C. Hamer, and Mark
Healy are non-resident of the State of Tennessee; it is therefore ordered that they make
their appearance berein, at the Courthouse in
the city of Memphis, Tesn., on or before the
first Monday in March, 1862, and plead, answer
or demar to complainant's bill, or the same
will be taken for confessed as to them, and set
for hearing ax parte; and it is further ordered
that all creditors having claims against the estate of J. W. Matthews, deceased, file them
with the Clerk and Master on or before the
first day of May, 1668, or the same will be
barred; and that a copy of this order be published in the Puntic Lengar, a newspaper
published in the city of Memphis, for three

A true copy—Attest:

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A. ALSTON, Clerk and Master.
By R. J. BLACK, D. C. and M.
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IT APPEARING FROM AFFIDAVIT IN It his cause that the defendent, John A. Dickinson, is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee: it is therefore ordered that he make his appearance herein, at the Courthouse in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday in March, 1858, and plead, answer or demur to complainant's till, or the same will be taken for confessed as to him, and set for hearing exparter, and that a copy of his order be published once a week, for four successive weeks, in the Puntic LEDGER.

A copy—Attest:

By R. J. Black, D. C. and M.

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